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- The applicant(s) wish to make of record the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed references are attached, where required, as are either statements of relevancy or any readily available English translations of pertinent portions of any non-English language references.
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# **STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY**

## Reference AP (JP 8-33120) on Form PTO- 1449:

This reference is discussed in the specification.

# Reference AQ (JP 8-130805 ) on Form PTO- 1449:

Hybrid System provided with Fuel Cell and Capacitor.

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